

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

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| INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT |) | |
| NEGOTIATED BY WEST KENTUCKY RURAL |) | CASE NO. |
| TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, |) | 2005-00418 |
| INC. AND NPCR, INC. DBA NEXTEL |) | |
| PARTNERS PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 251, |) | |
| 252 AND 271 OF THE |) | |
| TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996 |) | |

O R D E R

On October 7, 2005, West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. ("West Kentucky") and NPCR, Inc. ("Nextel Partners") submitted to the Commission their joint request for expedited approval of an agreement for facilities-based network interconnection for transport and termination of telecommunications traffic. Their agreement was negotiated pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §§ 251 and 252.

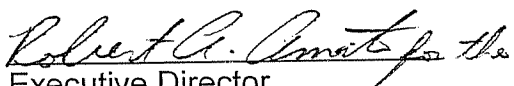
The Commission has reviewed the agreement and finds that no portion of the agreement discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement. The Commission also finds that the implementation of this agreement is consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity.

The Commission, having been otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that the request of West Kentucky and Nextel Partners for expedited approval of their proposed agreement is granted effective the date of this Order.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 14th day of October, 2005.

By the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director